

## HE IS IN A BAD HUMOR

Mr. Cleveland Is in Anything but a Jolly Mood.

THAT TARIFF BILL HAS UPSET HIM

He Listens, but Has Very Little to Say About It.

SPEAKER CRISP GOES TO SEE HIM

Failure to Sign the Bill Which the Democratic Party Passed May Cost the Party Several Congressmen.

Washington, D. C., August 23.—(Special.)—The relations between President Cleveland and the democratic senators and representatives are becoming seriously strained. The president is silent and sullen as to the tariff bill. He is unwilling to sign it and, in fact, refuses to discuss the subject. The democratic senators are urging him to approve the bill. They say that they cannot successfully defend a bill on the stump which a democratic president refuses to approve. The members of the democratic campaign committee assert that the refusal of the president to approve the tariff bill will lose the party thirty or forty members of the next house and perhaps several senators. Ugly talk is indulged in. The democrats allege that the president is being influenced by personal spleen instead of patriotic consideration.

Mr. Cleveland, however, declines to discuss the question. He is being urged to sign it in a message, even if he will not sign it, approving the measure so far as it goes, but even this he will not do. He intends to ignore the bill and for this course he is being criticised. Speaker Crisp is very anxious that he should sign the bill and was at the whitehouse this morning. He will call there again tomorrow. Mr. Wilson is also urging him to affix his signature but up to this hour the claimant of the ways and means committee is in absolute ignorance as to the real intention of the president, save his inference that the bill will be permitted to become a law in this half hearted way.

An Object Lesson in Parity, Too.

The Georgia delegation is preparing to go home. Speaker Crisp says congress will not adjourn before next Tuesday. Judge Maddox went to the treasury this morning and gave a twenty dollar gold piece for twenty new silver dollars coined last month. They were done up in a small wooden box shaped like a dynamite brick. The silver expects them to have the effect of dynamite among the populists in his district. The latter, he says, are still claiming that no silver is being coined and the silver dollars which he will carry home as object lessons are coined from the seigniorage. Major Black will begin an active canvass of his entire district as soon as the gavel falls on adjournment. The major expects a mean fight and is prepared to put up a hard one in return.

HE HAD MANY CALLERS.

Party Men Visit Mr. Cleveland and Advise Him to Sign.

Washington, August 23.—An interest in the capital today centered in the tariff bill. Both houses are meeting in a perfunctory manner and adjourning without any serious attempt at legislation. The president's return naturally gave rise to no little speculation regarding that matter. When it was known that Speaker Crisp had seen Mr. Cleveland today the former's committee room became at once the Mecca to which republicans and democrats alike turned their footsteps. All of the members of the committee were present, in order to learn the president's intentions. The members were disappointed, so far as any positive information was concerned, for all the speaker would say was that the president would probably allow the bill to become a law without his signature. He said the president had not told him what he should do, but from his general conversation regarding the bill the speaker made the foregoing deduction.

Some Bills Are Too Mean to Pass.

The president, it is said, has not hesitated to express to some of his callers his objections to the bill. These objections are as strong today as they were when his now famous letter to Chairman Wilson was read in the house more than a month ago. None of the gentlemen who saw him today asked him if he proposed vetoing the bill. They are so entirely convinced that he will not pursue so drastic a course that they felt such an inquiry would be an insult.

Advised to Sign It.

Some of the democratic leaders who saw the president this morning have urged him to sign the bill. They have represented that any other course would discount the measure and the party, and that it would be a serious handicap to them when on the stump during the October campaign. The president is reported to have heard these gentlemen patiently and to have shown by his response that he was not insensible to their arguments. In some cases they have returned to the capital feeling that after all there was a possibility that the presidential signature would be affixed to the measure, but as one of the members expressed it, "there is only a possibility."

Equal uncertainty also exists as to whether President Cleveland will send a message to congress concerning the bill. He has been urged not to do so, but to withhold anything he may choose to say upon the subject until the resumption of congress next December, to be incorporated in his annual message.

Secretary Carlisle spent most of the afternoon at the executive mansion, discussing with the president the new tariff bill. It was stated yesterday that Secretary Carlisle would make public a statement as to alleged defects and errors in the tariff bill, but this afternoon it is said he will deliver an expression of his opinion on this matter.

A LIVELY COLLOQUY

Over the Report of the Committee on Alleged Armor-Plate Frauds.

Washington, August 23.—The one item of interest in the proceedings of the house today was the animated colloquy between Messrs. Cummings, democrat, of New York, and W. A. Stone, republican, of Pennsylvania, over the report of the committee on naval affairs upon the investigation into the alleged armor-plate frauds. The report was accompanied by a joint resolution, which was agreed to, directing the secretary of the navy to have plates now on certain ships removed and subjected to ballistic tests to determine their quality. These are the plates in which defects were shown, in the investigation, to have existed, and the tests were suggested to determine whether or not they are up to the contract requirements.

Mr. Stone asserted that the Carnegie company, while just as anxious for investigation and tests as the house committee has not yet been accorded fair play in the investigation.

This aroused Mr. Cummings, who made a spirited response, declaring that the Carnegie company's interests had been more carefully attended to in the investigation than those of the navy department, which had also, he said, been on trial.

One or two private bills were passed, and, at 1:10 o'clock, the house adjourned until tomorrow.

COLONEL BRIGHT HUNTING THEM.

Senators Cannot Rally a Quorum and No Business Transacted.

Washington, August 23.—In most respects the session of the senate today was a cloudy counterpart to that of yesterday. No business whatever was attempted—even the presentation of a message from the president having been prevented by the fact that there was no quorum present and answering.

On the roll call only thirty-four senators responded, but two senators came in and had their names recorded after the list was made up. Then there were four republican senators who declined to answer when their names were called. These were Messrs. Manderson, Quidley, Pettigrew and Shoup, so that, all told, there were forty senators present—three less than a quorum.

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He Was Interested in the Seales Tobacco Company on Peachtree.

NO CAUSE KNOWN FOR HIS SUICIDE

The Banks of Which He Was President Are All Right—His Friends Think He Fell Over the Rail.

Richmond, Va., August 23.—(Special.)—Colonel James Monroe Winstead, one of the most prominent citizens of Greensboro, N. C., and president of both the Piedmont and the People's banks of this city, ended his existence today by either jumping or falling from the clock tower of Richmond's new city hall.

Friends and relatives who arrived here this evening think that Colonel Winstead, who was subject to attacks of vertigo, walked out on the corridor nearly a hundred feet above the street, became dizzy and fell over the balustrade which came up to his waist. The more general impression, however, is that it is a clear case of suicide and all the circumstances bear out this idea. Colonel Winstead arrived here yesterday afternoon and retired soon after supper. He seemed to be very nervous at breakfast this morning and impressed most of those whom he met after entering the hall as being in a state of great excitement.

When told it was too early to be admitted to the tower, the visitor stroked his gray beard with trembling hand and said he would not harm anything and was anxious to get a look at the city before leaving at noon.

Fell on the Fence.

Reaching the base of the tower, Colonel Winstead removed his shoes, and these, together with his hat and cane, preceded him on his fatal downward flight. Only two persons saw him fall, but many heard the thud as his lifeless body fell upon the sharp pointed fence which guards the area to the hall. The head and body hung downward inside the iron fence and over the mouth of the area. It was suspended from one of the sharp spires which had caught the left leg just at the hip joint. The body fell face downward, and the force of the fall had torn it entirely out of its socket. The head was gashed across the scalp and there were wounds on the forehead and nose. The chest was fearfully crushed.

The right arm was broken above the elbow, the left was broken both above and below the elbow joint.

The friends of Colonel Winstead are unable to assign any reason why he should have desired to take his own life. His banks are both in good condition, and his nephew, Mr. E. W. Winstead, who arrived tonight from Milton, N. C., says none of his private affairs are in condition to seriously trouble him. In an informal letter found in his pocket addressed to his brother, Colonel S. Winstead, of Roxboro, he used this language: "My land company business is worrying me no little, but we are likely to get it in better shape."

Once in Business in Atlanta.

Colonel Winstead was a native of Person county, North Carolina, and was seventy years old. He had been in business at different times in Danville, Va., and Atlanta, Ga., and was, at the time of his death, interested in a large number of enterprises. He was president of the Henry P. Seales Tobacco Company, of Atlanta, of which his wife's son is secretary.

Among the papers found upon him were three notes of this concern for \$2,500 each, and a check for \$15,533.88 drawn by him August 18th, in favor of the same company. Colonel Winstead lived in life married Mrs. Seales, who survives him without issue. He was a prohibitionist, and made a good run for congress a few years ago. He was well known in the city as a banker, and the Piedmont bank had money to its credit here. The remains were taken to Greensboro, N. C. tonight.

SAYS HE WAS KIDNAPED.

A Delegate Claims That He Was Held Up by Politicians.

Palatka, Fla., August 23.—(Special.)—B. W. Helveston, of Live Oak, a delegate from Suwannee county to the second district democratic convention which has been in session here for two days, made a big



## THE SALARY QUESTION

It is Flaring Largely in the Present City Race.

## THE PROHIBITIONISTS LAST NIGHT

Two Wards Will Act Tonight—No New Candidates in the Race for the Various City Offices.

Notwithstanding the fact that the coming city primary is yet more than a month off the people are growing more and more interested in the situation every day.

Tonight there will be ward meetings in two of the wards, and in both wards candidates will be suggested for the consideration of the voters at the primary, whether that primary takes place on the 25th of September, or on October 3d.

And if talk goes for the meetings will, in both wards, show quite an antagonism to the ticket put out by the fifty-eight at the city hall.

The candidates for aldermen, councilmen and city officers all combined have a large number of friends who are willing and ready to do all that can be done to further their cause. Among these candidates, and especially among those who are out for the city hall offices there is an opposition to anything looking to a reduction of salaries.

As a rule the men who are elected to the council—either branch of it—are able to do the work assigned to them without receiving one dollar of pay. In other words the amount of salary is nothing to them. But with the officers who have the work to do, salary is something to be considered, for, as a rule, their living depends upon that pay.

The committee of fifty-eight, which put out the gentlemen who are before the people, adopted a resolution requiring the members then suggested as candidates for the council, if elected, to vote for a resolution reducing the salary of the members of the general council and the salary of the city officers was adopted.

That resolution, calling for the systematic reduction of salaries, was adopted, and none of the gentlemen who were mentioned for aldermen and councilmen have so far indicated that they are not pleased with the platform upon which they were put before the people by the fifty-eight.

But it has caused a great deal of talk, and many of the candidates for council and aldermen, as well as candidates for the city hall offices, have asserted that they would not vote for any one who accepted a nomination on that platform.

Especially among the candidates for the city hall offices has a strong opposition to the ticket shown itself. The candidates, however, are a little chary of the manner in which they will make the fight, because they are cognizant of the fact that in antagonizing the candidates of the fifty-eight they may incur the opposition of the friends of those candidates and the candidates themselves.

"You are aware of the fact," said one of the candidates yesterday, "that none of us who may win, want to go into office with the knowledge that our pay is to be cut. The salaries now are small enough, and the work hard enough. The truth is the resolution was put there for political purposes, and we all know it. None of us—at least that is my information—can afford to vote for a man for council who will begin his work by trying to reduce our pay."

"Then to show," continued the gentleman, "that the whole thing is a piece of electioneering, let me say to you that the charter says that the city council shall fix the salaries of the city officers at the first meeting of the general council in October. The charter fixes that as the date for the change, and no change or fixture of salaries can be made before that time. Then what was the use of introducing that resolution in the city council at the last meeting? The gentleman who handed it in knew that by the charter no action could be taken before the first meeting in October. The only way I know of to get it to the people was that the ticket set out at the city hall was in favor of the reduction. To get at the question of the contemplated reduction it will require that paper to lay in the hands of the general council at the first meeting of the council in October, when it will come up without the resolution just as though the resolution had never been written. I am of the opinion that a resolution to reduce the salaries of the members of the general council will be adopted, and that the pay will be put back to \$300, as it was before. But if that salary committee and the members of the council and the people generally investigate the matter they will never seek to reduce the salaries of the officers. The more the matter is investigated the less liability there is of a reduction of salaries in the city hall."

The salary committee of the general council is the committee which fixes the salaries of not only all the city officers which have heretofore been elected by the general council, but fixes the salaries of the members of the body to which it is elected. At the first meeting in October they report the amount of money to be paid to each man who draws pay from the city government, and that fixture lasts during the term for which he was elected. The salary committee now is composed of Mr. Martin, chairman, Mr. Stockell and Mr. Howell. It is said that Mr. Martin had made up his mind yesterday to submit a report at the next meeting of the general council favoring a wholesale reduction of salaries and that Mr. Stockell would sign it, while Mr. Howell was wholly opposed to anything of the kind, holding that position, however, altogether on the ground that the time for fixing the salaries had not yet arrived and that when it did arrive there would be sufficient time to determine the question. The position taken by Mr. Howell caused Mr. Martin, chairman of the salary committee, to hesitate and tear up the resolution.

The reduction of the salaries, which are now \$600 a year for the aldermen, and the councilmen makes the anxiety of persons for the office less acute. Fifty dollars a month is good enough to work for, but when it is reduced to \$200 a year there are not so many people who are anxious for the place.

The Prohibition Club Meets.

The Atlanta Prohibition Club met last night at their hall on Whitehall street. The meeting was largely attended notwithstanding the rain, and the work of the evening was interesting.

Hon. A. J. Shropshire, president of the club, was present, and of course occupied the chair. The present situation as it appeared to the members of the club was discussed at length, and the names of the candidates who were put out at the city hall meeting, were discussed over. The meeting, however, did nothing of a definite character, the larger part of the session being given up to the proposed reduction of salaries and the contemplated change of the date of the primary from the 25th of September to the 2d of October.

It was more a meeting of fellowship for the comparison of notes on the situation than anything else, and nothing else was done.

After quite a talk the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president, if in his opinion, a meeting was necessary before the next regular meeting, which takes place the first week in September. At the next meeting of the club, however, there will more than likely be some interesting features. At that time the members will have made up their minds as to their choice for the position, and some candidates may be given a thumb while others may be given quite a good turn.

Mr. King Was Given an Endorsement.

There was a big meeting of the voters of the South ward last night in the drug

store, corner Wheat and Jackson streets. Dr. Martin was made chairman of the meeting after Hon. Billy Dimmock had called the house to order, and Mr. Ed Blue was made secretary. The talk of the meeting was on the coming race, and the names of those present was a mass meeting at which a candidate would be named to be voted for at the coming primary. No names, however, were mentioned, but the talks indicated that both Captain Miller and Mr. Smith had a good following in the ward and that the contest would be a warm one. A resolution was adopted which gave a warm and strong endorsement to Mr. Porter King for the mayoralty. While it was only a resolution, it was received when introduced and carried through with so much force that it indicated that that ward was warmly Mr. King's.

To Meet Tonight.

The third and first wards will open the work tonight in earnest.

In both wards there will be meetings of the voters, at which it is more than likely there will be selections for candidates for councilmen and an expression of opinion as to aldermen.

The meeting in the third ward will be held in a vacant store on Hunter street at the corner of Martin, and the indication is that it will be largely attended. It is said that the voters will pass a resolution calling upon the meeting to select some one who is in the race as a candidate for councilman and that the resolution will carry with it the pledge of all who participate in the meeting to support the man selected at the meeting when the ballot boxes are open for the primary.

The meeting in the first ward will be of the same character when the time comes, and the meetings over the nucleus of another ticket will have been made.

The Fifth Ward Has a Powwow.

Nearly one hundred registered voters of the fifth ward came together last night and began arranging for a meeting in that ward, at which a selection of a candidate for council to be voted for at the primary will be made. The meeting discussed the opening of Alabama street and reference was made to the money the city council appropriated to that work two years ago. It was decided at the meeting that all of the candidates in the city would be questioned relative to the opening of the street and that no one who was not in favor of the opening and would not pledge himself to help secure the desired end would be supported. Mr. C. P. Johnson, of the third ward, had asserted that he was for the bridge, was endorsed by the aldermen and councilmen for the coming ward primary were left to a committee named by the chairman.

The day developed no changes in the candidates for aldermen, councilmen and city hall officers other than is shown in the regular announcements printed elsewhere.

## HE GETS A REST.

Thomson, Professional Walker and Talker, Goes to the Rockpile.

Bedecked in the full paraphernalia of a professional pedestrian, Henry Thomson, the man whose trip around the world has been the source of so much comment recently, strided into the recorder's court-room yesterday afternoon and assumed a defiant attitude.

"What have you got to say about being drunk on the streets?" asked Judge Calhoun, eyeing the fellow curiously.

"Well, your honor, I haven't got anything to say except that the boys got around me and would make me drink. I tried to get out of it but they kept on me and I didn't want to go back on the crowd. I didn't know I was going to get drunk."

"That's no excuse," said the judge, recording the amount on the defendant's record. "You are a professional drunkard. You have to give you three and costs." The decision was a surprise to the walker, and shocked him perceptibly.

"Judge, can't you take that off. You see I didn't mean to, and I was drunk three days behind, and you ought not to make it so hard for a fellow."

"But, Mr. Thomson, you know they say you're a fraud and a tramp. I am not disposed to do happily with you, but it looks to me like you'll have to tramp about the stockade for the next two or three days."

The prospect of the sentence was too much for Thomson, and tears gathered in his eyes. He entered into a pathetic appeal, which was interrupted by the judge, who ordered him carried to the prisoners' room. He had no money to pay the fine and was marched out to the stockade wagon. His costume remained unchanged, and he wore the same black sweater, and the same gaudy sash which he had on when he first made his triumphant entry into Atlanta. He stepped into the wagon reluctantly, the door was closed and he rolled off to the stockade for four days' hard work.

## MR. HARRY LYMAN DEAD.

He Breathed His Last Yesterday Afternoon at 6 O'clock.

Yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock Mr. Harry J. Lyman, for many years a well-known ticket broker, died at his residence, 227 South Pryor street, in this city.

Mr. Lyman was a thorough young business man and was considered at one time the most progressive and energetic young man of his age in Atlanta. He acquired his death was consumption. He acquired the disease about a year ago and the malady grew apace with such rapidity that no skill could either arrest or check it.

The news of Mr. Lyman's sad death will be read this morning with profound sorrow all over the city. No young man was more deservedly popular. He was generous, a fault and even his failings were those of friendship and generosity. After leaving the Boys' High school in 1881, Mr. Lyman began to shift for himself and entered the ticket office of Mr. R. D. Mann in the old Kimball house. He afterward became a ticket broker on his own account and opened an office on Wall street, renting a small partition from Mr. John B. Daniel, the wholesale druggist. He continued in the brokerage business until about three years ago, when he became interested with Mr. A. J. McBride in Nantahala and Talapahatchee property.

A few months ago Mr. Lyman left for California in the hope of regaining his wasted health among the Sierra Nevada. Instead of improving, however, he continued to grow weaker, as he looked upon the snow-capped mountains and he soon began to realize that his life was slowly ebbing. He returned to Atlanta only to yield up his spirit among the scenes of his boyhood.

Mr. Lyman was never married. He was twenty-eight years of age at the time of his death and leaves a mother and several sisters to mourn his untimely taking off.

He was a member of the Church of the Immaculate Conception and his funeral will likely occur from that place tomorrow morning.

(Communicated.)

W. S. Bell for Councilman of Third Ward.

Editor Constitution.—It is fortunate not only for the people of the third ward, but for the entire city, that the opportunity is presented of securing the services of such a sterling business and practical man as the well-known lumber dealer, popular and public-spirited citizen, Mr. W. S. Bell.

For many years Mr. Bell has been engaged in the lumber business in Atlanta in building up the city and giving employment to the people and ward. For the first time and in response to urgent requests, has become a candidate to represent his ward in the general council. His high character as a citizen and his splendid business qualifications are well known, and when such a man is put forward as a candidate he deserves and should receive the support of his ward and the entire city. His name will be submitted to the third ward meeting to be held from 5 to 10 o'clock this (Friday) evening at White & Ellis's hall, corner of Hunter and Martin streets.

THIRD WARD VOTER.

## KOLBITES CONFER.

They Pass Out and Dried Resolutions Denouncing the Election.

## HONEST MAN'S LEAGUES ORGANIZED

A Senatorial Investigation of the Recent Election Is Requested—No Trouble Is Expected to Follow the Meetings.

Montgomery, Ala., August 23.—(Special.) Today down in Ralmer, in this county, a few Jeffersonians met and passed the stereotyped resolutions issued by the Kolbites, Jeffersonians and populists, sent out from Birmingham several weeks ago.

The resolutions are of a revolutionary character. They called upon the congressmen to know if they are determined to be free, and if so to meet on this day in each county and by their action declare so by organizing themselves into leagues, whose object will be to enforce honest elections now and forever in this state. In winking up the resolutions say: "If you are willing to remain slaves to the black hand thieves and heroes, publish it by your action then and there. The question is to whether the writer is to be governor or not is of small concern. In the very nature of things he will soon pass away and be forgotten, but upon your action of the 23d instant perhaps depends the right of generations to come, to have and enjoy the blood-bought freedom your fathers gave you. Again let me urge you to meet and act and speak out in no uncertain tone. Your action will determine my action and, as in the past, I will be with you until the end."

The same resolutions were passed by the populists in Elmore, Bibb, Chilton, Shelby, Coosa, Tallapoosa and thirty or more other counties. Just what the outcome of this action today will be remains to be seen.

It is hardly probable that the combination means to set up a governor of its own in this state. Such a course would be impracticable. It is looked upon by the democrats here as a big bluff. Goodwyn and Bowman made denunciatory speeches in Elmore.

## CALHOUN'S KOLBITES.

They Ask Alabama's Senators to Vote for Chandler's Resolution.

Anniston, Ala., August 23.—(Special.) The populists of Calhoun county assembled in mass meeting at the courthouse in Jacksonville today. They passed the resolutions which had been provided, pronouncing the recent state election a fraud and a shame and declaring that they would no longer submit to such fraudulent and corrupt methods, nor recognize and sustain a government brought into power through such improper agencies. They declared it their purpose and intention to have and maintain their rights under the constitution and laws of the land. "An honest election league" was formed according to instructions, and a resolution was adopted asking Senators Morgan and Fugh to vote for the Chandler resolution in the senate to investigate the recent state election. About two hundred men were present. Similar meetings were held in every county in the state, but no startling results are apprehended.

## Pronounced to Be a Failure.

Birmingham, Ala., August 23.—(Special.) The Kolbites had a mass meeting here today with an attendance of three hundred, and passed resolutions, cut and dried for the occasion. They then formed themselves into a so-called honest man's league, the purpose of which was to set up a dual government. The meeting here was run by Bowman and Skaggs. So far as heard, the entire affair was a flat failure all over the state.

## Wheeler Got Limestone.

Athens, Ala., August 23.—(Special.) Swannock beat, which has heretofore been counted for Richardson, went for Wheeler, thus giving the county to the general. This will probably give him the nomination. The Kolbites men have given up the county.

## Harrison Carries Henry.

Opelika, Ala., August 23.—(Special.) The populists met here today pursuant to instructions from Chairman Skaggs. Only twenty-five were present. After a short session they adjourned until September 1st, without transacting any business.

General George P. Harrison, candidate for congress from this district, carried Henry county, with its eight delegates yesterday by a good majority. This is the first county that has acted.

## HARRISON SUCCEEDS OATES.

A Former Georgian Sweeps the District for Congress.

Montgomery, Ala., August 23.—(Special.) General George P. Harrison, of Opelika, will succeed the governor-elect, William C. Oates, in congress from the third district. General Harrison overwhelmingly carried Dade, Russell and Bullock counties today in the primaries. He had Henry and Lee counties. Harbour went for Mr. G. L. Tamm. The only county he was defeated in carrying. General Harrison is a strong Cleveland administration man. He it was who made such a vigorous speech in the late state democratic convention that nominated Colonel Oates for governor, in opposition to the original Morgan resolution which sought to endorse the senator's democracy. The original resolution was defeated. General Harrison is a native of Georgia. He is a son of the late General George F. Harrison, of Savannah.

## SAM SMALL AT LYNCHBURG.

He Speaks to a Large Crowd—Senator Peffer Addresses the Populists.

Lynchburg, Va., August 23.—The state conventions of the prohibitionists and the populist parties met here today. The question of a possible union of the two parties for the coming campaign was rejected by the populists, and a counter proposition from the populists was rejected by the prohibitionists. The subject was discussed in a conference committee composed of ten members from each convention.

Platform was adopted.

Rev. Sam Small, prohibitionist, addressed a big meeting in the afternoon, and Senator Peffer, populist, talked to another big one at night.

The tenth district delegation of populists tonight nominated Captain Edmund W. C. Cocke for congress. The sixth district will nominate tomorrow. The sixth district prohibitionists tonight nominated O. C. Rucker, of Bedford, J. Haskins Hobbes, of Bedford, and J. Haskins Hobbes, of Bedford, as chairman of the populist state central committee.

## A CAR AXLE BREAKS.

And Causes a Wreck in Which Three Men Were Killed.

Fort Atkinson, Wis., August 23.—Three men were killed in a wreck on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad near this place at 12:45 o'clock this morning. Three others were badly hurt. The train was a freight and was running at the rate of twenty miles an hour at the time the accident occurred. The men killed were in one end of a box car, partially filled with hardwood lumber, and they were buried under the debris. The names of the killed are:

THOMAS INGLE, forty years of age; lived at 47 West Madison street, Chicago. CHARLES KLEIN, aged thirty, whose wife lives somewhere in Chicago. STEPHEN ONTKE, forty years of age. Austin, Tex.

The injured are: S. W. Waterman, 822 West Folk street, Chicago; badly injured about the head; will recover. George Plant, Chicago, bruised, not severely. James G. Eggleston, Chicago, long gash. The accident was caused by the axle of the number car breaking. The dead and injured were brought to this place.

## HOW THE HORSES RAN.

Fine Weather and Good Racing at Saratoga.

Saratoga Race Track, N. Y., August 23.—The conditions today were favorable to good racing. The weather was fine, the track in good condition and the program an excellent one. Four of the six races were won by the favorites, and all the events were well contested.

First race, purse of \$500, for two-year-olds, non-winners at this meeting, selling, five furlongs—Bart, 35, Perkins, even, won by two and half lengths; Lady Richmond second, Sallie Woodford third. Time, 1:32.

Second race, purse of \$500, for three-year-olds and upwards, one mile and one-sixteenth—Lehman, 35, Perkins, 11 to 5, won by a head; Victoriano second, John Cooper third. Time, 1:48.

Third race, the California stakes, for two-year-olds, \$500 to be guaranteed, five and one-half furlongs—Needham, 30, Perkins, 1 to 1; won; Rossmar, second, Picaroon third. Time, 1:28.

Fourth race, the Morrissey stakes, sweepstakes \$20 each, starters to pay \$30 additional, \$25 to be guaranteed, selling, one mile—Lucas, 10, Caldwell, 11 to 10, won; saro second, Selma D third. Time, 1:42.

Fifth race, purse of \$500, for three-year-olds and upwards, selling, seven furlongs—Promenade, 35, Perkins, 9 to 13, won; Miss Dixie second, Leonardo third. Time, 1:38.

Sixth race, handicap, six furlongs—Biles, 107, Perkins, 6 to 5, won by two lengths; Nick second, Soundmore third. Time, 1:15.

At Jerome Park.

Race Track, Jerome Park, N. Y., August 23.—As usual, the program today was cut to ribbons with the blue pencil. The first five races were won by favorites, but the fields were small and all the other candidates were well backed, which made the day an auspicious one for the bookmakers.

The most interesting event of the day was the perfect dead heat which was run in the fifth race between Albert A. and Midstar. In the run off Albert A. cut out the work until the last sixteenth pole was reached. Midstar then got up under punishment and after a cruel drive won cleverly by a length. Summary:

First race, for three-year-olds, selling, one mile and a furlong, Lightfoot, 108, Sims, 18 to 10, won; Chatter, second, Governor Sheehan third. Time, 2:00.

Second race, for three-year-olds and upwards, selling, allowance, seven furlongs and a half—Live Oak, 102, Bergen, 7 to 5, won by three lengths, Jack Rose second, W. B. third. Only three starters. Time, 1:35.

Third race, for two-year-olds, six furlongs—Sir Dixon, 10, 5 to 2, won; Ulica third. Time, 1:15.

Fourth race, for three-year-olds and upwards, the Titan course, about 1,400 yards, Halton, 115, Sims, even, won; Marshall second, Dixon third. Time, 1:45.

Fifth race, for maiden two-year-olds, six furlongs—Albert A., 108, Taylor, 5 to 1, and Midstar, 108, Taylor, 5 to 1, won by a head. Time, 1:19. In the run off Midstar won by a length. Time, 1:20; Redwae second, W. B. third. Only three starters. Time, 1:19.

## Britannia Defeated Satalita.

Weymouth, August 23.—In a race under the auspices of the Weymouth Yacht Club today the Britannia defeated the Satalita by one and one-quarter minutes. The course was from Cowes to Weymouth.

The Yachtman says it has it on good authority that the next challenger for the America's cup will be the Earl of Lonsdale.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Washington—RHE Washington, 107 600 000—14 13 1 Chicago, 108 102 000—3 8 3 Batteries—Stoddard and McGuire; Terry and Shriver.

At Brooklyn—RHE Brooklyn, 100 001 010—6 5 5 Cincinnati, 102 209 060—13 10 0 Batteries—Stein and Kinslow; Dwyer and Murphy.

At New York—RHE New York, 110 000 001—4 13 2 Louisville, 100 400 000—6 5 5 Batteries—Rusie and Farrell; Hemming and Grim.

At Boston—RHE Boston, 103 300 000—12 15 2 Cleveland, 103 251 010—14 14 4 Batteries—Stevens and Ryan; Young and Zimmer.

At Philadelphia—RHE Philadelphia, 134 010 001—9 15 5 Pittsburgh, 100 400 000—4 9 3 Batteries—Harper and Clements; Menafie and Macle.

At Baltimore—RHE Baltimore, 102 200 000—2 7 5 St. Louis, 120 011 006—10 16 2 Batteries—Gleason and Robinson; Hawley and Miller.

## 25 to 10.

Marletta, Ga., August 23.—(Special.)—Marletta and Acworth crossed bats at Acworth in an interesting game of ball yesterday. The score was: Marletta, 23; Acworth, 10. The feature of the game was the battery work of Morris and John. Morris, the battery, was striking out twenty men and letting the slingers down with but two safe hits.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

They Will Meet Tonight at the Barclay Mission.

The local union of the Society of Christian Endeavor will meet tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the Barclay mission on Marietta street.

The meeting will be a largely attended one, as delegates from each of the local societies, of which there are fifteen, will be present.

A number of important matters will be acted upon at this meeting. Among other things a report of the proceedings of the national convention, which was held in New York, will be read. This report will be of great interest to all who are identified with the work of the Christian Endeavorers.

## LEFT FOR NEW MEXICO.

Mr. Johnson Goes to Look After the Property of McElhannon.

Since the letter received by Chief Wright some days ago concerning the murder of E. L. McElhannon, in New Mexico, nothing more has been heard from that place. McElhannon was a stepson of Mr. C. E. Johnson, of Atlanta, and has two sisters also living here. Mr. Johnson has written making inquiry concerning the property which his son was said to have, and asking about the details of the murder. He expects to leave for New Mexico with a party to the ranch owned by his son in New Mexico.

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III. LIABILITIES..... \$122,789.52

IV. INCOME DURING FIRST SIX MONTHS OF YEAR 1894..... \$214,267.39

V. DISBURSEMENTS DURING FIRST SIX MONTHS OF YEAR 1894..... \$416,521.65

Certified copy of the act incorporating the company, filed in office of insurance commissioner of Georgia, August 18, 1894.

STATE OF GEORGIA, COUNTY OF FULTON.—Personally appeared before the undersigned Thomas G. Beck, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the manager of the Fidelity Mutual Life Association and that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 18th day of August, 1894.

ALBERT L. BECK, Notary Public, Fulton County, Georgia.

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## THE MARKET IN WHEAT WAS LIFELESS

Corn Declines 3-8 to 1-2 Cent from Yesterday. Cattle 1/2 to 1/4 Well. Pork Closes 15 Cents Higher Than Yesterday.

NEW YORK, August 23.—Speculation at the stock exchange broadened today, and the tendency was in the direction of improvement. The Industrials were less prominent in the dealings, although with the exception of Chicago Gas they maintained their recent gains. This was not considered unfavorable, however, for the reason that the Vanderbilt stocks forged to the front, and for the first time in months were the real leaders of the market. The activity developed in these issues imparted a firmer tone to the dealings and led to heavy purchases for both account holders and speculators. The Vanderbilt group started today's rise, the stock having opened 1/4 per cent higher at 70 1/2. This frightened the shorts, and their purchases resulted in a further rise to 71 1/2. This unexpected movement in the Vanderbilt group forced a short interest in the Vanderbilt group into covering, and in a jiffy, Lake Shore was bounding up 1/2 to 1/4 to 71 1/2, Central 1/4 to 71 1/2, Big Four 1/4 to 71 1/2, Canadian Southern 1/4 to 71 1/2, and Michigan Central 1/4 to 71 1/2. There was also a better demand for the Nickel Plate issues, and the common moved up 1/4 to 1/2, second, preferred, 1/4 to 1/2 and the first preferred 1/4 to 1/2. In the last mentioned only 20 shares changed hands. There were no new issues assigned for the buoyancy in the railway list and operators are still basing their trades on the idea that the Government tariff bill will be much better condition of affairs in financial and commercial circles. The fact that a large short interest exists which is attested by the premiums demanded for the active issues is of material assistance to the manipulators. In the Industrials, Sugar, Distillers, General Electric, Lead and Leather were all in request, but Chicago Gas showed signs of extensive liquidation. The market closed strong, with an advancing tendency. In the inactive stocks Manhattan rose 1/4 to 1/2, Consolidated Gas 1/4 to 1/2 and Delaware and Hudson 1/4 to 1/2. The active gainers were 1/4 to 1/2 per cent for the day. Business was active.

High-grade and miscellaneous bonds were active and strong.

Sales of listed stocks aggregated 213,000 shares; unlisted 1,000.

Money on call easy at 1 per cent; time loan at 1, and closed offered at 1; prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 to 5 per cent.

Sterling exchange easier with actual business in banks falling to 4 1/2 to 4 3/4 for sixty days, and 4 3/4 to 4 1/2 for demand posted rates; 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 for commercial bills 4 1/2 to 4 3/4.

Government bonds firm.

State bonds steady.

Railroad bonds strong.

Bar silver 64 1/2.

Silver at the board was 66 bid and 66 1/2 asked.

London-Bar silver steady at 29 13-16 per ounce.

The following are closing bids:

Cotton Oil	2 1/2	Nash. Pac.	20 1/4
Do. pref.	2 1/2	Do. do.	20 1/4
Gas. Edgely	11 1/4	Nash. & St. L.	21 1/4
Am. Tobacco	29 1/4	U. S. Conrail	21 1/4
Atch. & S. Pac.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Baltimore & O.	7 1/4	N. Y. & N. E.	21 1/4
Canada Pac.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Ches. & O.	10 1/4	N. Y. & N. E.	21 1/4
Chicago & Alton	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Do. do.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Chicago Gas	7 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Do. do.	7 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
East Tennessee	11 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Do. do.	11 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Gen. Elec.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Do. do.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Ill. Cent.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Do. do.	10 1/4	Do. do.	21 1/4
Lake Shore	71 1/2	Do. do.	21 1/4
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Wednesday's Market Review.

Dow Jones News Co., by private wire to J. C. Knox, manager—There are a good many bulls on Louisville and Nashville because earnings from the time in last year were very poor indeed and there was no Chicago traffic to speak of in September and October. On the basis of present earnings it should, for the balance of the year, make large increases weekly, ranging from \$30.00 to \$75.00.

Atchison earnings for the second week in August, \$28.44.

Early Morning Gossip.

Foreign and Domestic News Co., by private wire to J. C. Knox, manager—Stocks opened firm and in some instances higher than last night.

Burlington and Quincy was the feature and was bid up on the disclosure of an unusually short interest. The other Grangers were neglected and the traders were disposed to sell St. Paul for a turn.

Sugar was held well in hand by the pool brokers and the bears hesitated to put out fresh lines of shorts.

General Electric was weaker on the aggressive action of the Fort Wayne Electric Corporation in securing a plant at Baltimore with all the modern appliances and owning very valuable patents.

Reading was active and higher on purchases for Philadelphia account. There was a report that under the new plan of reorganization an assessment on the stock and junior bonds may be avoided.

The quo warranto case brought by the attorney general against the Pullman company before Judge Hancy has gone over to Friday.

The market has been very steady all the morning, Chicago Gas, Western Union and Sugar alone failing to participate in the upward movement.

The big jump in Lake Shore also caused a movement in all of the Vanderbilt stocks. There was no news on Lake Shore, but there is a short interest in the stock estimated at over 10,000 shares, and an attempt to cover disclosed the fact that the floating supply had been removed from the market.

Traders were largely responsible for the movement on the Vanderbilt stocks.

Chicago Gas was weak on dispatches from Chicago that the mayor had approved the Universal Gas Company's bond, and the movement in Sugar was checked by the fear that a quorum would be secured in the senate today.

Progress in the Reading plan inspired purchases of the stock.

Closing Market Review.

Foreign and Domestic News Co., by private wire to J. C. Knox, manager—The strength of the Granger stocks was the salient feature of the closing dealings, and St. Paul was taken hold of by a new buying element.

recovery considerable long stock was encountered.

The room traders took their profits and turned their attention to Distilling and Cattle Feeding on the assurance that the remainder of the loan to withdraw the trust's stock of spirits from bond has been obtained from a local capitalist.

Louisville and Nashville and Reading were the strong features of the non-dividend payers, and Big Four common also fell into line on an unexpected demand to cover a short line of long standing.

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The Wheeler and Cammack clique bought some New York Central, but the stock was still scarce in the loan market and commanded a premium of 1-1/2.

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January opened at 4 1/2, advanced to 4 3/4 and reacted to 4 1/2. The close was steady at 4 1/2 for January. The liberal receipts of new cotton at many points in the south and the assurance that the remainder of the loan to withdraw the trust's stock of spirits from bond has been obtained from a local capitalist.

The Liverpool and Port Market.

LIVERPOOL, August 23.—Cotton quiet and steady. Liverpool 23-1/2; spot, 15-1/2; American 1-1/2; speculation and export 1-1/2; receipts 100; all American; splendid new middling August and September delivery 1 1/4-1/2; September delivery 1 1/4-1/2; October delivery 1 1/4-1/2; November delivery 1 1/4-1/2; December delivery 1 1/4-1/2; January delivery 1 1/4-1/2; February delivery 1 1/4-1/2; March delivery 1 1/4-1/2; April delivery 1 1/4-1/2; May delivery 1 1/4-1/2; June delivery 1 1/4-1/2; July delivery 1 1/4-1/2; August delivery 1 1/4-1/2; September delivery 1 1/4-1/2; October delivery 1 1/4-1/2; November delivery 1 1/4-1/2; December delivery 1 1/4-1/2; January delivery 1 1/4-1/2; February delivery 1 1/4-1/2; March delivery 1 1/4-1/2; April delivery 1 1/4-1/2; May delivery 1 1/4-1/2; June delivery 1 1/4-1/2; July delivery 1 1/4-1/2; August delivery 1 1/4-1/2; September delivery 1 1/4-1/2; October delivery 1 1/4-1/2; November delivery 1 1/4-1/2; December delivery 1 1/4-1/2; January delivery 1 1/4-1/2; February delivery 1 1/4-1/2; March delivery 1 1/4-1/2; 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## RAILROADERS MEET.

They Are Having a Right Lively Session in New York.

NOT ALL OF THE LINES HAVE SIGNED

But It Is Safe to Say That the Southern Railway and Steamship Association Will Hold-Other Railroad News.

Coney Island, N. Y., August 23.—(Special.)

The convention of the Southern Railway and Steamship Association met this morning and after a short session, adjourned.

It was reported during the meeting that the following transportation companies had signed the association agreement for the coming year: The Western Railway of Alabama; Atlanta and West Point railroad; Southern railway; Central Railroad and Banking Company of Georgia; Ocean Steamship Company; Georgia railroad; Louisville and Nashville railroad; Clyde Steamship Company; Kansas City, Memphis and Birmingham railroad; Alabama Midland railroad; Brunswick and Savannah railroad; Savannah, Florida and Western railway; Georgia Southern and Florida railroad; Wilmington and Weldon railroad; Atlanta and Florida railroad; Port Royal and Augusta railroad; Baltimore, Chesapeake and Richmond Steamboat Company; Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, and Western and Atlantic railroad.

The Cotton Compress Issue.

The executive board of the association met at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The entire session was given up to a delegation representing southern compress interests opposing a reduction in the rate of 10 cents a hundred pounds paid by southern transportation lines for cotton compression.

Judge Samuel Lumpkin, associate justice of the supreme court of Georgia; Hugh T. Inman, a capitalist, of Atlanta; F. B. Fisk, a large cotton dealer of Montgomery, Ala.; W. P. Armstrong, president of a national bank and capitalist of Selma, Ala., and T. T. Howell, a cotton dealer of Rome, Ga., made strong, practical talks illustrated with facts and figures. The matter will be decided by the executive board tomorrow.

The Traffic Is Heavy.

Never was there such a rush of passenger traffic out of Atlanta and this section of the south as is precipitated by the great convulsion of the Knights of Pythias in Washington.

The Southern Railway Company is handling the crowds, all of the divisions of the state having completed to select this route for the trip to the national capital.

The Southern is having a greater job of it than was even hoped for by the most enthusiastic soliciting passenger agent.

So great was the rush yesterday that a special train had to be run out of this city to Washington on the same schedule with the vestibule limited. The train was taking the advance guard, as it were, of this region of the south. Many of the knights who went on the train were from New Orleans and Texas, and some came up from Mobile and Montgomery. The great bulk of them came to Atlanta over the Western Railway of Alabama and the Louisville and Nashville.

There will be another special train to go out today on the vestibule schedule. It will be made up of several special cars and will carry loads of knights to the capital city.

Sunday there will be two special trains to go out of Atlanta. One of them will be the regular Georgia train for the knights of this state.

Twenty-five uniformed knights will go from the Gate City division of this city. This was decided at the meeting last night. Of course, there will be many other knights to go and many of them will carry their families. It was decided at the meeting last night to have the distribution of prizes take place this afternoon at the Knights of Pythias hall on the corner of Pryor and Hunter streets. The time is 6:30 and everybody is expected to be present.

Special trains will bring many of the knights from other cities to Atlanta Sunday to go out on the specials on the Southern railway that day. Birmingham will send a party of sixty. Macon will send twenty-five. Columbus will send fifteen. West Point will send thirty and other cities will send similar numbers.

They will all leave Atlanta at 12:30, city time. Sunday, the handsome special trains that are to go out at that hour for Washington.

The supreme representatives and prominent knights from this region of the south will go on these.

Railway Short Lines.

Mr. W. H. Taylor, district passenger agent of the Southern, will have charge of the Knights of Pythias trains to leave Atlanta Sunday.

Southern Agent Gallagher, of the Iron Mountain railroad, with headquarters at Chattanooga, was here yesterday. He says the crops out in Arkansas are all good this year, and states that the folk out west are all coming back to Georgia to visit their kinfolks this year, the times being better than they have been for a long time. He says it is wonderful how many people in Arkansas originally went from Georgia.

On September 1st the passenger conductors on the Big Four commence running through between Cincinnati and Chicago. It is now two months since they began running through between Cincinnati and Chicago, and the conductors are pleased with the arrangement, although when proposed they showed considerable feeling against the change.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton drops to a dull time movement. Superintendent Galloway says the decrease is due wholly to the fact that the line is empty of cars to fill orders. Last week the road handled at Indianapolis 1,000 cars, and of that number 737 were loaded. Western conditions are daily offering the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton business if it will furnish cars.

The railway, rolling stock and all depots and other belongings of the Macon and Northern Railroad Company will be sold at public auction at Macon, Ga., on October 2d. This sale will be made under a decree of foreclosure and sale of the United States circuit court, the petition of the Mercantile Trust Company of New York as trustee of the mortgage.

Mr. Earle's Good Work.

Mr. J. W. Earle, chief clerk of the Southern Railway and Steamship Association, has returned from a trip to Cincinnati, where he went on a tedious mission. He has lately compiled and had issued in pamphlet form, a full list of the rates to all points in the south. The work is complete and shows up the labor that was expended on it most strikingly.

The secure rates from all the rate clerks of the southern country and the book represents a vast deal of labor.

The Meeting at Montgomery.

The coming meeting of the Atlanta and West Point stockholders at Montgomery, Ala., is attracting a little attention. There is much talk as to the probable outcome of the meeting. Several changes will be made in the officership of the road. None of these are authentic, however, and are mere speculation.

It may be stated as a fact, however, that there is a feeling of uneasiness in the minds of some of the West Point officials regarding the probable result of the meeting. Nothing but the proceedings of the meeting can settle this uneasiness of the stockholders.

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## END HIS LIFE.

A Young Newspaper Man Shot Himself Yesterday in Augusta.

HE WAS WELL KNOWN IN ATLANTA

Had Been in the City for Three Weeks Past-Looked Himself in a Room and Fired Two Shots at His Heart.

Augusta, Ga., August 23.—(Special.)

Edward J. Faure, a young newspaper man who has been in Atlanta stopping at the Kimball for two weeks past, but who went to Augusta Wednesday morning, attempted to kill himself in the latter city yesterday.

Faure has worked on a number of southern newspapers, among them The Louisville Courier-Journal, The Memphis Appeal and The Augusta News. He came to Atlanta a fortnight ago to engage in newspaper work, and while here became acquainted with all of the local newspaper men.

He is about twenty-four years old, dark and handsome. He is quite talented, and has quite a reputation as an amateur actor. While in Atlanta he organized a local minstrel club and made a tour of the surrounding towns. While in Atlanta he delighted his friends with numerous dramatic recitations.

Faure made a number of friends while in the city, and was, nearly always, in fine spirits. One night last week he talked to a friend at the Kimball about suicide, and said that he was not a physical coward, but that the thought of what would follow, the newspaper accounts and the speculation of curious people, he said this thought kept a great many men from self-destruction.

He is an exceptionally bright fellow, and made friends wherever he went.

Just above the heart, he said this thought kept a great many men from self-destruction.

Here is the story that comes from Augusta.

Augusta, Ga., August 23.—(Special.)

Mr. E. J. Faure, a newspaper man, attempted to commit suicide today by shooting himself in his room at the Planters' hotel.

Night before last Mr. Faure returned after a two weeks' visit to Atlanta. He seemed to be in his usual good spirits, but last night he seemed to be much worried. He was thought to be of no consequence, however. This morning he did not come down to breakfast, and at 11:45 o'clock two pistol shots were heard from the vicinity of room No. 45, on the third floor. Sergeant Morgan and Mr. Joe Bull were the first to reach the unfortunate man's room. They found Mr. Faure sitting in a chair in the middle of the room, clothed in a white shirt and a pair of white trousers. When the two gentlemen entered, Mr. Faure did not seem a bit worried, and when asked by Mr. Bull what was the matter, replied, that he had accidentally shot himself. He was carried to the bed and Dr. Green summoned. Upon examination it was found that the bullet from a Smith &amp; Wesson 8-caliber pistol had entered the left side, three inches above the heart and struck a bone and took an upward course and came out on the top of the left shoulder. The other wound was taken to the chest, going through the partition of the next room and lodging in the hall.

Mr. Faure was formerly editor of The Evening News, but several months ago resigned and since that time has been out of work. It is thought that financial troubles were the cause of the unfortunate man's attempt to take his life. Mr. Faure was taken to the hospital, where he will receive the best medical attention. His home is in New Orleans where his parents live, but he has been in Augusta nearly two years.

A NEW CAPTAIN.

The Atlanta Rifles to Have a New Set of Officers.

The Atlanta Rifles are to have a new set of officers, according to street rumor. Since the organization of the first military company in Atlanta there have been constant changes both in officers of high and low degree, while the men who composed the private soldier feature have come and gone like the will of the wind.

For several months matters in military circles have not been particularly interesting. There have been no changes of a decided nature have been made. The Rifles will probably be the first company to break the spell of apparent lethargy.

The Rifles are, so some of the best posted military men say, to have a new captain at no distant day. The new captain will not be exactly new, for he will be an old one newly elected and is no less a person than Captain Macon Spencer, one of the best known commanders in the state.

Only a few days ago a committee from the Rifles called on Captain Spencer. The purpose of the visit was to ascertain his views in regard to again commanding the company.

He took the matter under advisement and later addressed a communication to the committee. It is understood that this communication was encouraging to the Rifles and Captain Spencer is expected to be in command of the company at no very distant day.

The Atlanta Rifles have long been considered one of the best military companies in the country. It has won more prizes than any military company in Atlanta and has in its ranks some of the best military material in the south.

While this is true it has not been exempt from dissension in its ranks at times, and like all military companies has had some differences of opinions. When Captain Spencer resigned it was during one of these temporary upheavals that soon blew over. He announced at the time that he would retire from the military arena and his resignation created some of the stir in the ranks of the citizen soldiery of the state.

Now that it is said he is to return to the old command it is rumored that he will be surrounded by an almost entirely new staff of commissioned officers.

Captain Sneed, who was the first commander of the company left the Gate City Guard to accept the office and when he resigned from the Rifles returned to his first love. Captain Sneed was elected captain of the Guard and then began a rivalry, that was exciting, between the two companies.

Captain Joseph Nash, now commanding the Rifles, succeeded Captain Spencer. He has made an able officer and while the military is glad to again welcome Captain Spencer the prospect of losing Captain Nash is viewed with regret.

MISS WUERTS TONIGHT.

The Engagement of the Celebrated Violinist at the Second Baptist.

Miss Marguerite Wuerts, the brilliant and accomplished violinist, who captured the recent season of the Atlanta chautauqua, will appear at the Second Baptist church this evening at 8 o'clock.

There is not a more pronounced artist in America than Miss Wuerts and this is the candid judgment of those who have listened to the finest musicians in the country.

Miss Wuerts will be assisted by Professor William Oren, Mrs. Arthur Richards, Mrs. Belle C. Dykman and Mr. L. L. Knight. The latter will read a literary production.

## DAILY COURT GRIND.

A White Man Prophesies Evil and Misfortune to His Prosecutor.

THE ATHLETIC CLUB IN COURT

Manager Holcombe Was Fined—Other Cases That Were Up Before the City Court Yesterday.

An amusing episode and one with a streak of sadness running through it was enacted in the city court yesterday afternoon.

Joe Calhoun, who was charged with the offense of cheating and embezzling, was the prisoner at the bar. He was a large, burly white man.

It was charged against the defendant that he had secured credit from Mr. G. K. Pettis by a false statement. He declared that he was the owner of a horse and wagon, and on this statement Mr. Pettis allowed him credit to the extent of \$30. As it happened, however, the wagon did not belong to Calhoun, and, according to the evidence, he was arrested on the charge of cheating and embezzling.

A scene occurred when the verdict of the jury was returned.

"I have been the prisoner, I have been a member of the church for six months, and I am not here to swear a lie. I tell you before high heaven that I am innocent of this charge. I never made such a false statement to Mr. Pettis and he knows it. I owe him \$30, the amount of my bill, and I am ready to pay it as soon as I can raise the money. It is persecution and nothing else. Mr. Pettis knows that I'm a poor man, and he thinks he can get satisfaction out of me by sending me to jail. But he will suffer for it. Mark what I say. God will punish him and his family. I delivered himself, himself, and this evil prophecy he set down. A fine of \$15 was imposed upon him or thirty days in the penitentiary. He left the room with a satisfied air, saying as he left, "Thank you, judge, thank you."

After the Athletic Club.

"If the evidence which I have heard is the truth, there is very little warrant for the name of your club. Instead of promoting a strong and vigorous manhood, it seems to me that every tendency is to be toward a weak and effeminate character. It is hurtful to the community and, though innocent parties may be connected with it, the effect of such a club is to impair the morals of the city."

This was the caustic language of Judge Westmoreland in the criminal branch of the court yesterday morning.

He was speaking to Mr. John Holcombe, manager of the Athletic Club, who was charged with the offense of cheating and embezzling.

It was against this new organization, the Athletic Club, that Judge Westmoreland directed his observations, at the same time eyeing the defendant with a keen look of judicial penetration.

"I was not aware that I had violated the law," said Mr. Holcombe, "and when I became manager of the club I was assured that everything was legitimate."

Not without wide of its mark, the attorney for Mr. Holcombe, made a brief statement to the court and urged that since the defendant in his life that justice be meted out to him in leniency.

"In view of the extenuating circumstances," said Judge Westmoreland, "and since you have voluntarily entered a plea of guilty I will only fine you \$100."

This settled the case for Mr. Holcombe was concerned, and after paying the amount of his fine he was given his liberty.

The Athletic Club is a social organization with headquarters in the old library building on Decatur street. Charges, however, have been preferred against several of the members for gaming and a verdict of guilty was entered against them yesterday morning. Mr. Holcombe was acquitted of the charge which was brought against him at the time, viz: that of running a gambling house.

The bench warrants were issued against Messrs. Lloyd, Williamson, Holcombe and Wynn, charging them with running a gambling house. This gives the case a new complication, but since Mr. Holcombe has entered a plea of guilty the others may follow his example.

Mr. Holcombe, who frequently visits the club, has many friends in Atlanta and all of them are now ready to hear him out in the statement he has made relative to the matter. Mr. Holcombe is distressed on account of the nature of the charges against him and in speaking of it yesterday Mr. John F. Wynn, manager of the club, said, "So much has been said about the Atlanta Athletic Association that I deem it necessary to reply to some of these statements. There is not a particle of evidence against the person of the club, and a game of cards was ever played in this club. The game which was played by Messrs. Lloyd and Holcombe was played previous to the organization of the club and was not in the clubrooms. This particular game was played six weeks before a single membership card was issued to the club, and had no connection with it. The club was not in existence at the time, and not only for athletic sport, but for billiards, pool, field sports and other amusements. The name has nothing to do with what is done in the club. The Commercial Club's name indicates a club for commerce. I don't think they sell anything but whiskey and dinners. Now, the intention of this association was to carry out everything mentioned in the charter. A club can't possibly carry out every feature of its charter without money. This club's charter was granted on March 6, 1894. Since that time the club has been managed by a manager of revenue managed to secure for the benefit of the members a nice parlor, a nice reading room, with all the leading daily papers and other periodicals, and a billiard table. We are negotiating with an athletic manager for his services. We tried to secure a baseball team and would have done so had the Southern League failed to materialize. Our intention is to have a football team, a bicycle track and all gymnasium sports. This will be the finest club in the south. There is an unwarranted amount of prejudice against the club, caused by the raids made by the city detectives, but they failed to establish or prove anything against the club. Mr. Holcombe stated positively that the game was not in the clubrooms."

Ballist Ray Gully.

A verdict of guilty was rendered by the jury yesterday morning in the case of the state against G. A. Ray, a constable in Judge Bloodworth's court, for assault and battery committed on the person of J. A. Spear, a ballist in the same court.

Two or three threats were lost by Ballist Spear in the difficulty.

Joe Anderson was convicted of larceny. The court will be in session again this morning, and several cases will be tried.

He Lifted a Cont.

Dave Blackburn, a negro, was found guilty of larceny from the house yesterday afternoon.

Hop at Sweetwater Park hotel Saturday night.

"It's Quite Sad."

Yes, it is rather sad to have to buy furniture and pay such enormous prices for it when you can go to the city of Atlanta, the "Out Price" house, and save money on the line. Our stock is complete. R. S. Crutcher &amp; Co.

Vote for C. F. Johnson if you ever expect to get any appropriation for the third ward.

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THE WRONG

DISEASE.

Many times men and women call on their family physicians, as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another from nervous prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they all present, alike to themselves and their doctors, and indifferent or over-busy doctor, separate and distinct diseases, for which he prescribes his pills and potions, assuming them to be such, when, in reality, they are all of one nature, caused by some delicate or private disorder. The physician, ignorant of the cause of suffering, encourages the disease until it has become a chronic suffering patient gets no better, but probably worse by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications. A proper treatment given and directed to the cause would have entirely removed the disease, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms and instituting comfort instead of misery.

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PETER LYNCH

35 Whitehall and 7 Mitchell streets. Branch store at 201 Pryor street. In addition to his large and varied stock, is now receiving his usual supplies of field, lawn and garden seeds for fall sowing—such seeds as rye, clover, orchard, blue and red top grass seeds. Also a large variety of turnip seeds of the growth of 1894; such as Purple Top, Yellow Top, White Top, White, Amber, Yellow and Mammoth Red Top. Globe, Dixie, Seven Top, Yellow Rutabaga, and Yellow Aberdeen and other varieties, all fresh and true to name. Also a few bushels of German Millet on hand. Will sell at low prices. Fall Cabbages, Collard and Radish seeds on hand; also all kinds of seeds and plants. All orders accompanied with the cash filled promptly and sent by express collect. Stocks and numerous at each of his houses. Terms cash.

\$2 to Chattanooga, via Western and Atlantic R. R., Saturday morning.

Receiver's Sale.

By order of the court in the case of Franklin et al. v. D. C. Loeb, bids will be received for the stock in my hands as receiver in said case. Bids can be made for the whole or part. Bids will be received up to August 26th, instant.

MAX KUTZ, Receiver.

August 23 to 29

Manufacturers and Dealers in

EVERYTHING OPTICAL.

Leaders in grinding oculists' prescription lenses. Kellam &amp; Moore, scientific opticians, 54 Marietta street, opposite post-office.

Mrs. Cornelia Carpenter vs. Robert H. Carpenter. No. 127 spring term, 1894. Full and complete answer to the petition of Robert H. Carpenter. Greeting: By order of the court I hereby notify you that on the 18th day of February, 1894, Mrs. Cornelia Carpenter filed a suit against you for divorce, returnable to the spring term, 1894, of said court under the foregoing caption. You are further notified to be present at said court to be held on the first Monday in September, 1894, to answer plaintiff's complaint. In default thereof the court will proceed as to justice shall appear. Witness the Hon. J. P. Lumpkin, Judge of said court, this 18th day of July, 1894. JAMES H. BROWN, Clerk Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia.

August 24th.

Below we quote a few prices:

25 pounds of the best flour, \$4.00

25 pounds of the best flour, \$4.10

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Mr. Proctor declines to discuss the findings of the commission.